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CURRENT SERIAL RECORDS

December 4, 1968

POULTRY

Slaughtered under Federal Inspection and Poultry
Used in Canning and Other Processed Foods
October 1968

Inspected Poultry - A total of 1,221,194,000 pounds live weight (chickens, turkeys, and ducks) was inspected for slaughter during October 1968 under the Poultry Inspection Act carried on by the U. S. D. A. This was 18 percent more than the previous month and 4 percent more than October 1967.

The number of head and pounds (live weight) inspected by classes in October 1968 were young chickens, 218,958,000 head, 798,972,000 pounds; mature chickens, 14,349,000 head, 66,911,000 pounds; fryer-roaster turkeys, 1,090,000 head, 9,973,000 pounds; young turkeys, 16,328,000 head, 338,218,000 pounds; old turkeys, 19,000 head, 303,000 pounds; and ducks, 1,032,000 head, 6,817,000 pounds.

Certified Poultry - The quantity of poultry certified as wholesome in October totaled 898,088,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight of which 586,948,000 pounds were chilled and 311,140,000 pounds were frozen. Total pounds certified by class of poultry were as follows: young chickens, 572,048,000 pounds; mature chickens, 43,412,000 pounds; fryer-roaster turkeys, 7,687,000 pounds; young turkeys, 269,283,000 pounds; old turkeys, 294,000 pounds; ducks, 4,888,000 pounds; and other poultry, 476,000 pounds.

Processed Poultry - Poultry inspected and used for canning and other processed food in October totaled 109,830,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight, compared with 87,981,000 pounds in October 1967. The quantity used in October 1968 consisted of 22,558,000 pounds of young chickens, 35,476,000 pounds of mature chickens, 44,602,000 pounds of turkeys, and 7,194,000 pounds of other poultry.

Cut-up Poultry - Poultry cut-up and packaged in Federally inspected plants during October 1968 totaled 145,507,000 pounds ready-to-cook weight compared with 170,464,000 pounds in October 1967. The breakdown by classes consisted of 130,805,000 pounds of young chickens, 481,000 pounds of mature chickens, 14,122,000 pounds of turkeys, and 99,000 pounds of other poultry.

Ante-mortem condemnations amounted to 2,828,000 pounds live weight for all classes. Condemnations by classes were equivalent to the following percentages of quantities inspected: young chickens, 0.23 percent; mature chickens, 0.53 percent; fryer-roaster turkeys, 0.31 percent; young turkeys, 0.17 percent; old turkeys, 0.08 percent; and ducks, 0.02 percent.

Post-mortem condemnations in October amounted to 33,615,000 pounds (NYD weight). Condemnations by classes were equivalent to the following percentages of quantities inspected: young chickens, 3.27 percent; mature chickens, 5.16 percent; fryer-roaster turkeys, 2.04 percent; young turkeys, 2.21 percent; old turkeys, 3.09 percent; and ducks, 1.46 percent.

POULTRY: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, OCTOBER 1968 WITH COMPARISONS

NUMBER INSPECTED 3/	YOUNG : CHICKENS	MATURE : CHICKENS	TOTAL : CHICKENS	FRYER- : ROASTERS	YOUNG : TURKEYS	OLD : TURKEYS	TOTAL : TURKEYS	DUCKS	OTHER : POULTRY	TOTAL : POULTRY
SEPTEMBER 1968	194,136	9,910	204,046	808	13,426	20	14,254	1,003	---	---
OCTOBER 1967	202,922	17,218	220,140	1,620	16,830	45	18,495	868	---	---
OCTOBER 1968	218,958	14,349	233,307	1,090	16,328	19	17,437	1,032	---	---
JAN.-OCT. 1967	1,979,749	140,793	2,120,542	11,779	71,591	1,946	85,316	8,886	---	---
JAN.-OCT. 1968	1,992,193	124,363	2,116,556	9,214	62,118	1,406	72,738	8,806	---	---
POUNDS INSPECTED 4/										
SEPTEMBER 1968	700,801	47,482	748,283	7,216	269,977	319	277,512	6,385	363	1,032,543
OCTOBER 1967	733,051	78,456	811,507	14,519	345,049	665	360,233	5,637	485	1,177,862
OCTOBER 1968	798,972	66,911	865,883	9,973	338,218	303	348,494	6,817	728	1,221,922
JAN.-OCT. 1967	6,997,416	657,454	7,654,870	104,202	1,379,607	37,317	1,521,126	56,330	3,422	9,235,748
JAN.-OCT. 1968	7,062,392	570,929	7,633,321	82,183	1,210,152	27,370	1,319,705	55,651	3,215	9,011,892
AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHTS/										
SEPTEMBER 1968	3.61	4.79	3.67	8.93	20.11	15.61	19.47	6.36	---	---
OCTOBER 1967	3.61	4.56	3.69	8.96	20.50	14.78	19.48	6.49	---	---
OCTOBER 1968	3.65	4.66	3.71	9.15	20.71	15.66	19.98	6.60	---	---
JAN.-OCT. 1967	3.53	4.67	3.61	8.85	19.27	19.18	17.83	6.34	---	---
JAN.-OCT. 1968	3.55	4.59	3.61	8.92	19.48	19.46	18.14	6.32	---	---

1/ OF THE MATURE CHICKENS INSPECTED, THE NUMBER REPORTED IN THOUSANDS AS HEAVY FOWL (BROILER BREEDING STOCK) WAS:

SEPTEMBER 1968, 2,131; OCTOBER 1967, 2,404; AND OCTOBER 1968, 2,489.

2/ OF THE YOUNG TURKEYS INSPECTED, THE NUMBER REPORTED IN THOUSANDS AS YOUNG BANDED BREEDERS WAS:

SEPTEMBER 1968, 14; OCTOBER 1967, 12; AND OCTOBER 1968, 9.

3/ THOUSANDS 4/ 1,000 POUNDS 5/ POUNDS

POULTRY: POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WEIGHTS), OCTOBER 1968 WITH COMPARISONS 1/

	YOUNG : CHICKENS	MATURE : CHICKENS	TOTAL : CHICKENS	FRYER- : ROASTERS	YOUNG : TURKEYS	OLD : TURKEYS	TOTAL : TURKEYS	DUCKS	OTHER : POULTRY	TOTAL : POULTRY
SEPTEMBER 1968	452,051	24,965	477,016	1,150	30,738	51	31,939	122	65	509,142
CHILLED FROZEN	50,764	5,999	56,763	4,419	184,625	206	189,250	4,485	137	250,635
TOTAL	502,815	30,964	533,779	5,569	215,363	257	221,189	4,607	202	759,777
OCTOBER 1967	466,662	40,417	507,079	2,210	38,367	25	40,602	159	27	547,867
CHILLED FROZEN	58,879	10,770	69,649	8,995	236,216	505	245,716	3,879	275	319,519
TOTAL	525,541	51,187	576,728	11,205	274,583	530	286,318	4,038	302	867,386
OCTOBER 1968	513,624	34,534	548,158	1,914	36,655	---	38,569	122	99	586,948
CHILLED FROZEN	58,424	8,878	67,302	5,773	232,628	294	238,695	4,766	377	311,140
TOTAL	572,048	43,412	615,460	7,687	269,283	294	277,264	4,888	476	898,088
JANUARY-OCTOBER 1967	4,481,199	327,381	4,808,580	19,770	173,106	3,202	196,078	1,237	133	5,006,027
CHILLED FROZEN	516,087	102,593	618,680	60,403	926,643	26,368	1,013,414	39,035	1,833	1,672,962
TOTAL	4,997,286	429,974	5,427,260	80,173	1,099,749	29,570	1,209,492	40,272	1,966	6,678,990
JANUARY-OCTOBER 1968	4,540,622	285,063	4,825,685	14,224	149,294	4,091	167,609	1,549	279	4,995,122
CHILLED FROZEN	508,745	86,554	595,299	49,203	813,439	17,733	880,375	38,413	1,528	1,515,615
TOTAL	5,049,367	371,617	5,420,984	63,427	962,733	21,824	1,047,984	39,962	1,807	6,510,737

1/ 1,000 POUNDS

YOUNG CHICKENS: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, OCTOBER 1967 AND 1968

REGION AND STATE	NUMBER		POUNDS		AVERAGE		TOTAL POUNDS		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS	
	INSPECTED		INSPECTED		LIVEWEIGHT		CERTIFIED		POUNDS (NYD)	
	1967	1968	1967	1968	1967	1968	1967	1968	1967	1968
	-THOUSANDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-		-POUNDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-		-PERCENT-	
N. ATLANTIC	14,021	14,353	57,168	59,206	4.08	4.12	40,958	42,288	1,779	2,081
E. N. CENTRAL	2,457	2,787	9,581	11,330	3.90	4.07	7,004	8,332	171	193
W. N. CENTRAL	4,196	5,112	15,883	19,186	3.79	3.75	11,441	13,749	310	450
S. ATLANTIC	86,065	93,144	314,269	343,927	3.65	3.69	224,300	245,728	11,115	11,386
S. CENTRAL	91,495	99,324	318,513	349,986	3.48	3.52	229,311	251,106	8,005	9,014
WEST	4,688	4,238	17,637	15,337	3.76	3.62	12,527	10,845	475	371
U. S.	202,922	218,958	733,051	798,972	3.61	3.65	525,541	572,048	21,855	23,495
MAINE	5,959	6,086	24,466	25,276	4.11	4.15	17,799	18,135	700	915
PENNSYLVANIA	7,279	7,253	29,392	29,589	4.04	4.08	20,860	21,017	993	1,065
INDIANA	906	1,198	3,441	4,573	3.80	3.82	2,526	3,363	40	55
WISCONSIN	1,524	1,544	5,985	6,474	3.93	4.19	4,367	4,760	128	129
MINNESOTA	695	817	2,777	3,329	4.00	4.07	2,069	2,504	36	48
MISSOURI	3,399	4,203	12,121	15,016	3.57	3.57	8,642	10,651	239	371
DELAWARE	8,539	8,359	33,941	32,539	3.98	3.89	23,988	23,365	1,456	1,028
MARYLAND	12,619	13,744	48,081	52,400	3.81	3.81	34,415	37,644	1,919	1,565
VIRGINIA	4,673	7,526	15,842	26,052	3.39	3.46	10,911	17,855	460	919
NORTH CAROLINA	22,972	24,108	84,112	92,323	3.66	3.83	60,388	66,009	2,388	2,483
SOUTH CAROLINA	2,149	2,829	7,608	10,654	3.54	3.77	5,358	7,353	274	421
GEORGIA	33,118	34,365	117,802	122,149	3.56	3.55	84,280	87,964	4,490	4,797
TENNESSEE	4,814	5,950	16,407	21,165	3.41	3.56	11,877	15,369	410	583
ALABAMA	22,578	24,918	81,559	89,993	3.61	3.61	59,095	63,700	2,003	3,132
MISSISSIPPI	14,162	16,049	49,425	57,534	3.49	3.58	36,035	42,305	997	1,126
ARKANSAS	29,472	31,584	99,820	106,995	3.39	3.39	71,077	76,186	2,747	2,503
LOUISIANA	4,359	4,566	15,479	16,617	3.55	3.64	11,139	11,903	410	297
TEXAS	13,384	13,557	46,517	48,249	3.48	3.56	33,424	34,826	1,235	1,189
WASHINGTON	881	1,157	3,457	4,379	3.92	3.79	2,457	3,066	61	87
CALIFORNIA	2,795	2,492	10,554	9,095	3.78	3.65	7,451	6,452	307	234

1/ AVERAGE WEIGHT BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.

2/ POUNDS CONDEMNED AS PERCENT OF EQUIVALENT N.Y. DRESSED WEIGHT OF QUANTITY INSPECTED. PERCENTAGES BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.

YOUNG CHICKENS: NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, OCTOBER 1968

REGION AND STATE	TUBER- CULOSIS:		LEU- KOSIS		SEPTI- CEMIA		AIRSAC- CULITIS		SYNO- VIITIS		TUMORS		BRUISES:		CADAVER:		CONTAM- INATION:		OVER- SCALD		OTHER		TOTAL	
	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	
N. ATLANTIC	---	---	275,812	134,791	40,003	6,733	1,587	3,264	10,666	21,269	1,645	14,360	510,130											
E. N. CENTRAL	---	---	13,933	14,600	5,322	1,091	84	1,452	1,817	2,553	690	1,071	42,613											
W. N. CENTRAL	---	---	30,900	30,526	27,960	4,246	397	2,572	3,483	6,705	997	4,962	112,748											
S. ATLANTIC	---	---	1,846,928	450,146	261,907	25,772	8,940	34,132	84,759	220,978	17,581	92,682	3,043,825											
S. CENTRAL	---	---	760,026	552,258	509,900	83,590	10,655	40,013	99,927	159,721	15,257	89,580	2,320,927											
WEST	---	---	45,993	18,627	17,799	1,380	138	1,038	6,992	3,839	1,553	10,843	108,202											
U. S.	---	---	2,973,592	1,200,948	862,891	122,812	21,801	82,471	207,644	415,065	37,723	213,498	6,138,445											
MAINE	---	---	95,668	78,161	12,451	5,202	575	1,441	5,220	7,964	517	5,381	212,580											
PENNSYLVANIA	---	---	171,194	46,261	26,809	1,239	700	1,489	4,748	11,146	819	8,067	272,472											
INDIANA	---	---	4,004	5,197	1,551	210	33	793	626	936	237	30	13,617											
WISCONSIN	---	---	9,498	9,152	3,766	880	46	639	1,104	1,430	200	903	27,618											
MINNESOTA	---	---	1,598	3,698	301	50	58	190	390	1,424	20	1,893	9,622											
MISSOURI	---	---	27,906	24,894	27,541	4,196	297	2,376	3,088	5,215	960	3,069	99,542											
DELAWARE	---	---	196,610	35,886	21,070	2,008	715	1,550	6,416	10,734	739	7,032	282,760											
MARYLAND	---	---	294,842	53,549	33,029	2,614	1,210	2,332	12,007	16,256	3,988	5,299	425,126											
VIRGINIA	---	---	174,199	48,680	41,446	2,333	371	1,654	2,489	5,919	674	4,751	282,516											
NORTH CAROLINA	---	---	258,452	125,491	66,164	7,770	3,076	13,139	23,301	80,474	5,011	36,274	619,152											
SOUTH CAROLINA	---	---	76,680	16,124	15,413	668	248	1,279	5,570	7,668	551	1,286	125,487											
GEORGIA	---	---	818,870	161,584	79,369	10,018	3,214	13,738	33,292	97,557	6,456	36,502	1,260,600											
TENNESSEE	---	---	46,321	28,951	18,491	1,798	566	2,013	8,541	18,896	1,320	13,999	140,896											
ALABAMA	---	---	395,714	139,987	178,834	10,307	2,814	7,361	23,659	55,236	6,999	20,646	841,557											
MISSISSIPPI	---	---	71,423	30,989	81,720	5,243	2,148	5,674	9,870	16,674	586	18,727	243,054											
ARKANSAS	---	---	128,777	231,533	161,747	34,568	2,684	12,237	34,182	41,074	2,803	20,070	669,675											
LOUISIANA	---	---	18,312	26,971	5,021	4,218	431	2,099	2,981	4,283	460	3,161	67,937											
TEXAS	---	---	88,754	79,484	53,210	26,782	1,780	8,800	17,922	17,278	2,093	12,059	308,162											
WASHINGTON	---	---	3,496	4,706	2,755	314	71	348	1,703	744	117	5,359	19,613											
CALIFORNIA	---	---	33,094	11,677	13,149	1,064	58	600	1,432	2,388	1,105	4,986	69,553											

MATURE CHICKENS: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, OCTOBER 1967 AND 1968

REGION AND STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED	POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVWEIGHT)	AVERAGE :		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED (READY-TO-COOK WT.) :		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS			
			LIVWEIGHT :		INSPECTED/ :		POUNDS (NVD) :			
			1967 :	1968 :	1967 :	1968 :	1967 :	1968 :	1967 :	1968 :
			-THOUSANDS-		-POUNDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-	
			1967 :	1968 :	1967 :	1968 :	1967 :	1968 :	1967 :	1968 :
N. ATLANTIC	2,292	1,943	11,128	9,941	4.86	5.12	7,283	6,579	463	390
E. N. CENTRAL	1,766	1,656	7,447	7,061	4.22	4.26	4,780	4,527	433	296
W. N. CENTRAL	4,710	4,021	20,361	17,364	4.32	4.32	13,176	11,088	1,000	1,003
S. ATLANTIC	3,824	3,048	18,419	15,138	4.82	4.97	12,106	9,933	689	625
S. CENTRAL	3,135	2,377	14,854	12,033	4.74	5.06	9,857	8,029	635	517
WEST	1,491	1,304	6,247	5,374	4.19	4.12	3,985	3,256	327	259
U. S.	17,218	14,349	78,456	66,911	4.56	4.66	51,187	43,412	3,547	3,090
MAINE	506	387	3,032	2,434	5.99	6.29	2,126	1,729	97	87
NEW JERSEY	1,331	1,067	5,584	4,591	4.19	4.30	3,455	2,833	293	226
PENNSYLVANIA	165	106	980	733	5.95	6.89	645	509	42	22
OHIO	386	279	1,609	1,151	4.17	4.13	1,043	703	73	54
INDIANA	770	700	3,231	2,812	4.19	4.01	2,093	1,829	172	108
ILLINOIS	530	---	2,170	---	4.09	---	1,350	---	172	---
MINNESOTA	1,942	1,810	7,688	6,765	3.96	3.74	4,850	4,187	436	452
IOWA	334	---	1,367	---	4.09	---	858	---	63	---
MISSOURI	966	935	5,697	5,548	5.90	5.94	3,876	3,779	202	210
DELAWARE	34	33	248	235	7.21	7.21	174	165	8	7
MARYLAND	788	642	3,248	2,648	4.12	4.12	2,085	1,696	173	106
VIRGINIA	259	138	1,659	962	6.40	6.99	1,161	685	42	34
NORTH CAROLINA	397	376	2,597	2,598	6.54	6.91	1,760	1,759	78	103
GEORGIA	1,305	1,144	6,511	5,802	4.99	5.07	4,345	3,879	219	214
ALABAMA	178	79	1,358	585	7.62	7.43	980	404	65	30
MISSISSIPPI	1,808	1,461	7,642	6,724	4.23	4.60	5,068	4,495	302	264
ARKANSAS	222	204	1,517	1,426	6.83	6.98	1,045	978	47	61
LOUISIANA	99	29	513	204	5.18	6.94	326	146	21	5
OKLAHOMA	112	---	498	---	4.45	---	320	---	16	---
TEXAS	651	456	2,861	2,079	4.39	4.56	1,781	1,282	169	129
WASHINGTON	109	136	463	568	4.25	4.17	299	354	13	26
CALIFORNIA	1,258	1,123	5,288	4,673	4.20	4.16	3,360	2,815	294	223

1/ AVERAGE WEIGHT BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.

2/ POUNDS CONDEMNED AS PERCENT OF EQUIVALENT N.Y. DRESSED WEIGHT OF QUANTITY INSPECTED. PERCENTAGES BASED ON UNROUNDED DATA.

3/ DATA FOR ONLY 1 YEAR PUBLISHED IN ORDER TO AVOID DISCLOSURE OF INDIVIDUAL OPERATIONS.

MATURE CHICKENS: NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, OCTOBER 1968

REGION AND STATE	TUBER- : :CULOSIS:		LEU- : :KOSIS :		SEPTI- : :CEMIA :		AIRSAC- : :CULITIS :		SYNO- : :VITIS :		TUMORS : :BRUISES:		CADAVER : :INATIN:		OVER- : :SCALD :		OTHER : :NO. :		TOTAL : NO. :	
	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	
N. ATLANTIC	1	3,442	34,184	51	2,212	24,929	806	1,855	4,214	392	9,582	81,668								
E. N. CENTRAL	2,080	5,686	28,058	239	63	24,160	2,139	1,579	5,036	234	12,101	81,375								
W. N. CENTRAL	31,366	13,013	69,205	1,828	460	83,319	8,426	4,471	21,725	1,128	40,740	275,681								
S. ATLANTIC	146	7,557	52,844	515	1,668	30,891	2,752	4,871	17,201	266	17,743	136,454								
S. CENTRAL	---	15,540	39,886	407	1,331	25,180	3,053	2,798	7,570	387	23,412	119,564								
WEST	---	1,213	28,404	55	453	30,229	2,846	2,368	3,350	720	5,156	74,794								
U. S.	33,593	46,451	252,581	3,095	6,187	218,708	20,022	17,942	59,096	3,127	108,734	769,536								
MAINE	---	1,297	8,118	10	380	1,837	150	269	955	25	966	14,007								
NEW JERSEY	1	1,401	20,868	2	613	18,221	372	1,332	2,544	129	7,916	53,399								
PENNSYLVANIA	---	319	1,769	---	2	1,164	49	60	326	---	387	4,076								
OHIO	240	2,174	2,136	14	6	2,993	393	360	1,632	54	4,575	14,577								
INDIANA	170	1,194	13,206	4	34	11,639	979	579	1,508	113	1,595	31,021								
MINNESOTA	13,362	3,604	25,812	316	108	45,628	1,887	1,452	12,262	701	33,563	138,695								
MISSOURI	2,123	2,980	19,339	192	239	6,775	4,321	1,777	2,380	79	1,146	41,351								
DELAWARE	---	316	687	19	6	47	1	22	32	---	5	1,135								
MARYLAND	146	1,108	10,333	53	272	7,954	570	867	2,130	86	393	23,912								
VIRGINIA	---	1,506	2,869	45	351	648	144	36	561	10	26	6,196								
NORTH CAROLINA	---	1,090	7,855	324	424	3,463	659	263	2,532	33	1,802	18,445								
GEORGIA	---	1,595	17,460	67	308	9,895	519	945	6,224	30	11,309	48,352								
ALABAMA	---	347	2,214	17	6	248	26	84	1,214	6	104	4,266								
MISSISSIPPI	---	981	19,236	11	709	21,663	2,403	1,488	4,128	150	13,453	64,222								
ARKANSAS	---	963	4,800	301	275	291	110	305	896	47	664	8,652								
LOUISIANA	---	117	498	---	14	13	47	13	50	---	28	780								
TEXAS	---	12,797	10,388	58	252	2,813	408	775	878	16	8,990	37,375								
WASHINGTON	---	175	2,773	1	1	371	78	185	561	13	1,638	5,796								
CALIFORNIA	---	841	24,123	20	452	29,702	2,712	2,164	2,653	696	2,872	66,235								

YOUNG TURKEYS (MATURE): SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, OCTOBER 1967 AND 1968

REGION AND STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED	POUNDS INSPECTED		AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS	
		1967	1968	1967	1968	1967	1968	1967	1968
		-THOUSANDS-		-POUNDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-		-PERCENT-	
N. ATLANTIC	284	5,739	6,473	20.21	19.98	4,550	5,114	87	1.28
E. N. CENTRAL	2,285	47,356	43,975	20.72	20.43	37,783	35,519	759	2.12
W. N. CENTRAL	6,144	125,078	121,261	20.36	20.50	99,682	96,568	2,629	2.17
S. ATLANTIC	1,547	30,494	37,221	19.71	19.73	24,161	28,992	1,119	2.36
S. CENTRAL	2,712	54,760	52,523	20.19	20.85	43,180	41,474	1,225	2.59
WEST	3,858	81,622	76,765	21.16	21.74	65,227	61,616	925	2.25
U. S.	16,830	345,049	338,218	20.50	20.71	274,583	269,283	6,744	2.27
PENNSYLVANIA	256	5,054	6,053	19.72	19.77	4,041	4,787	79	1.16
OHIO	717	15,318	15,405	21.36	20.55	12,239	12,427	285	2.06
INDIANA	701	14,532	11,930	20.72	19.39	11,536	9,663	177	2.23
WISCONSIN	658	12,811	11,618	19.46	20.27	10,256	9,427	222	1.98
MINNESOTA	2,902	57,328	59,583	19.76	20.19	45,734	47,291	941	1.83
IOWA	1,242	26,702	24,821	21.49	21.22	21,413	20,008	460	2.33
MISSOURI	1,225	25,281	25,338	20.64	20.49	20,033	20,224	741	2.00
NEBRASKA	359	7,478	---	20.80	---	5,875	---	---	3.25
KANSAS	137	2,659	3,313	19.41	18.25	2,147	2,642	116	2.97
VIRGINIA	481	9,364	11,021	19.46	20.77	7,119	8,393	50	4.86
NORTH CAROLINA	743	14,544	18,620	19.58	18.85	11,784	14,679	341	2.68
GEORGIA	16	317	---	19.64	---	255	---	533	3.18
ARKANSAS	1,154	23,039	25,555	19.96	21.18	18,162	20,068	---	1.78
TEXAS	1,000	20,299	18,845	20.30	20.00	16,076	15,039	586	2.32
COLORADO	475	9,187	9,498	19.35	21.84	7,541	7,708	435	2.57
UTAH	694	16,533	14,467	23.82	24.57	13,600	11,637	90	1.33
CALIFORNIA	2,314	48,259	44,018	20.86	21.07	38,012	35,287	131	1.18
							1,243	621	2.87

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YOUNG TURKEYS (MATURE): NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, OCTOBER 1968

REGION AND STATE	TUBER- CULOSIS	LEU- KOSIS	SEPTI- CEMIA	AIRSAC- CULITIS	SYNO- VITIS	TUMORS	BRUISES	CADAVER	INATON	CONTAM- INATION	OVER- SCALD	OTHER	TOTAL
	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.
N. ATLANTIC	---	76	2,260	1,093	208	---	33	207	138	---	---	21	4,036
E. N. CENTRAL	---	479	14,848	13,886	1,518	16	446	1,482	1,872	325	392	392	35,264
W. N. CENTRAL	---	878	65,948	41,626	3,538	118	1,492	2,555	6,430	1,384	2,130	2,130	126,099
S. ATLANTIC	---	94	16,062	32,244	4,646	43	667	830	3,068	210	1,320	1,320	59,184
S. CENTRAL	---	178	29,981	15,953	7,801	141	772	1,050	2,048	162	2,240	2,240	60,326
WEST	---	42	25,321	8,463	2,492	23	569	1,100	1,326	170	323	323	39,829
U. S.	---	1,747	154,420	113,265	20,203	341	3,979	7,224	14,882	2,251	6,426	6,426	324,738
PENNSYLVANIA	---	53	1,989	1,069	208	---	29	189	135	---	---	19	3,691
OHIO	---	24	4,900	6,075	98	1	163	402	864	186	282	282	12,995
INDIANA	---	96	3,098	4,260	526	4	42	250	488	82	12	12	8,858
WISCONSIN	---	288	5,452	2,977	851	8	223	670	416	25	53	53	10,963
MINNESOTA	---	620	35,311	21,326	1,949	71	548	1,733	4,007	471	304	304	66,340
IOWA	---	3	8,642	6,312	229	30	451	262	748	249	309	309	17,235
MISSOURI	---	246	16,222	11,967	1,188	8	400	432	1,081	640	1,314	1,314	33,498
KANSAS	---	3	1,156	562	36	---	18	71	249	8	---	---	2,103
VIRGINIA	---	5	6,420	8,051	276	3	240	209	450	13	36	36	15,703
NORTH CAROLINA	---	56	6,025	19,924	1,946	30	297	403	1,774	96	1,023	1,023	31,574
ARKANSAS	---	46	15,926	7,623	5,529	18	157	447	1,256	70	50	50	31,122
TEXAS	---	28	9,412	6,427	1,658	115	570	361	511	19	1,938	1,938	21,039
COLORADO	---	2	1,620	932	33	5	80	218	154	4	6	6	3,054
UTAH	---	5	4,186	928	457	9	167	342	296	37	10	10	6,437
CALIFORNIA	---	35	17,226	6,054	1,614	4	153	428	823	127	239	239	26,703

FRYER-ROASTER TURKEYS: SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, OCTOBER 1967 AND 1968

REGION AND STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED	POUNDS INSPECTED (LIVEWEIGHT)	AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT INSPECTED/100 (LIVEWEIGHT)	TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS	
				1967	1968	POUNDS (NYD)	PERCENT 2/
	1967	1968	1967	1968	1967	1968	1967
	-THOUSANDS-		-POUNDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-		PERCENT-
N. ATLANTIC	7	18	70	157	9.59	8.72	2
E. N. CENTRAL	123	47	1,148	434	9.33	9.16	6
W. N. CENTRAL	859	619	7,679	5,675	8.94	9.17	74
S. ATLANTIC	423	308	3,777	2,860	8.93	9.29	85
S. CENTRAL	122	66	1,117	627	9.16	9.48	12
WEST	86	32	728	220	8.47	6.81	4
U. S.	1,620	1,090	14,519	9,973	8.96	9.15	183
WISCONSIN	120	---	1,118	---	9.31	---	---
MINNESOTA	751	601	6,757	5,516	8.99	9.18	71
VIRGINIA	409	305	3,654	2,837	8.93	9.30	85
CALIFORNIA	76	22	660	141	8.72	6.32	3

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FRYER-ROASTER TURKEYS: NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, OCTOBER 1968

REGION AND STATE	TUBER- CULOSIS	LEU- KOSIS	SEPTI- CEMIA	AIRSAC- CULITIS	SYNO- VITIS	TUMORS	BRUISES		CADAVER		CONTAM- INATION		OVER- SCALD		OTHER		TOTAL
	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.
N. ATLANTIC	---	83	192	121	---	1	3	6	12	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	418
E. N. CENTRAL	---	5	233	22	5	3	12	97	68	6	6	1	1	1	1	1	452
W. N. CENTRAL	---	1	4,042	727	3	1	106	382	1,765	14	14	83	83	83	83	83	7,124
S. ATLANTIC	---	2	3,988	4,636	31	2	91	312	764	6	6	14	14	14	14	14	9,846
S. CENTRAL	---	---	680	337	179	---	24	27	143	1	1	29	29	29	29	29	1,420
WEST	---	15	220	127	8	---	9	10	50	---	---	11	11	11	11	11	450
U. S.	---	106	9,355	5,970	226	7	245	834	2,802	27	27	138	138	138	138	138	19,710
MINNESOTA	---	1	3,939	715	3	1	103	377	1,751	14	14	81	81	81	81	81	6,985
VIRGINIA	---	2	3,978	4,635	31	2	91	311	762	6	6	14	14	14	14	14	9,832
CALIFORNIA	---	15	176	126	2	---	4	4	41	---	---	1	1	1	1	1	369

OLD TURKEYS (BREEDERS): SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, OCTOBER 1967 AND 1968

REGION AND STATE	NUMBER INSPECTED	POUNDS		AVERAGE LIVEWEIGHT		TOTAL POUNDS CERTIFIED		POST-MORTEM CONDEMNATIONS	
		1967	1968	1967	1968	1967	1968	1967	1968
		-THOUSANDS-		-POUNDS-		-1,000 POUNDS-		-PERCENT-	
N. ATLANTIC	1/	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
E. N. CENTRAL	18	264	9	14.67	18.32	215	7	1	---
W. N. CENTRAL	15	203	106	13.62	12.88	160	86	5	1.68
S. ATLANTIC	4	69	129	18.28	19.07	53	102	4	2.49
S. CENTRAL	3	48	12	19.20	17.26	39	10	---	6.26
WEST	5	81	47	15.22	14.82	63	37	1	1.73
U. S.	45	665	303	14.78	15.66	530	243	8	1.50
MINNESOTA	3/	203	---	13.62	---	160	---	---	2.34
NORTH CAROLINA	4	69	---	18.28	---	53	---	---	3.09

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4/ DASHES MEAN LESS THAN 500 HEAD OR 500 POUNDS.

OLD TURKEYS (BREEDERS): NUMBER CONDEMNED POST-MORTEM BY CAUSE, BY REGIONS AND SELECTED STATES, OCTOBER 1968

REGION AND STATE	TUBER- CULOSIS	LEU- KOSIS	SEPTI- CEMIA	AIRSAC- CULITIS	SYNO- VITIS	TUMORS	BRUISES		CADAVER: INATION		CONTAM- OVER-		SCALD		OTHER		TOTAL NO.
	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	
N. ATLANTIC	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
E. N. CENTRAL	---	2	5	14	---	---	---	3	---	---	---	---	1	---	---	---	25
W. N. CENTRAL	---	1	59	120	---	---	---	1	---	---	---	---	4	---	---	---	185
S. ATLANTIC	---	---	36	91	10	1	---	2	---	---	---	---	24	---	---	3	167
S. CENTRAL	---	---	33	9	1	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	1	---	---	1	45
WEST	---	---	69	---	---	---	---	1	---	---	---	---	1	---	---	---	72
U. S.	---	3	202	234	11	1	7	---	1	31	---	---	---	---	4	---	494

OFFICIAL BUSINESS



Definitions

Young chickens - Commercially grown broilers-fryers and other young immature birds such as roasters and capons.

Mature chickens - Fowl from breeder and market egg flocks and stags and cocks.

Fryer-roaster turkeys - Young immature birds, usually under 16 weeks of age.

Young turkeys (mature) - Young birds grown to a matured market age, usually 5 to 7 months.

Old turkeys (breeders) - Fully matured birds held for egg production, usually over 15 months of age.

Ducks - Includes all ducks regardless of age and weight.

Other poultry - Includes all other ready-to-cook products which bear the U.S.D.A. Inspected for Wholesomeness legend.

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